

1993 Cleveland May Show exhibitor



Laurel Delia-Schurk

B.F.A. M.A.T.

Ohio Teaching Certificate

Credentials and references upon request
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ARTIST'S STATEMENT

My work has always been involved with some form of texture; and the mixing of media is almost a compulsion, regardless of whether I'm working with two or three dimensional elements.

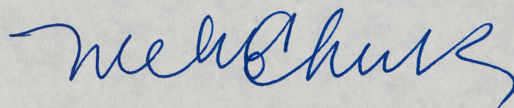
Although I've had brief periods of interest regarding the manipulation of non-objective images; more often than not my work has had the tendency to be figurative and deriving from recognizable subject matter.

I have had an avid interest in animals since childhood, especially Animal Rights, which brings many non-human animals "to play" within the confines of my imagery.

Somewhere in the depths of my psyche, I feel there is a longing for consistency, order and logic; which will forever play second fiddle to my intuition and impulse. My very best work has been that which was unlabored, and simply and honestly inspired.

I don't believe that I hold a concrete philosophy of life, or that I ever want to hold a concrete philosophy of life; if anything, I feel that life more than likely holds it's own philosophy about me.

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Resume Update

EDUCATION

Attended 1991 - Ursuline College; Lyndhurst, Ohio - Art Therapy Workshop
Studied 1992 - Cleveland State University; Monoprinting and Mixed Media Techniques

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1990-91 Lakewood Bd. of Education - Substitute teacher
1990-91 Berea Bd. of Education - Substitute Teacher
1992 Baycrafter Art Association - Instructor children's classes

EXHIBITIONS AND AWARDS

1991 Cuyahoga Community College; Parma, Ohio Electrostatics - Five/Man Invitational
1992 Akademia Gallery; Cleveland, Ohio Opening Juried Exhibit

1993 *Cleveland May Show; Cleve Museum & Art - Cleve Ohio*

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EDUCATION

B.F.A. 1969 - Ohio University; Athens, Ohio
M.A.T. 1972 - Kent State University; Kent, Ohio
Attended 1969 - Instituto Allende, San Miguel Allende, Guanajuato, Mexico
Studied 1978 - Cleveland Institute of Art; Cleveland, Ohio
Studied 1982 - Cuyahoga Community College; Parma, Ohio - Photography & Off-Set Litho
Studied 1987 - Cleveland State University - Dramatic Arts Department
Studied 1987 - Chautauqua, New York Ceramics with William Daley
Studied 1990 - Cuyahoga Community College; Parma, Ohio - Computer Graphics

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

1989 Baldwin Wallace College - Berea, Ohio Instructor, Materials & Technique
1989 Cuyahoga Community College - Cleveland, Ohio Instructor part time
1988 Berea Bd. of Continuing Education Instructor Childrens Printmaking Classes
1988 Lakewood Bd. of Education Instructor Long Term Substitute (4 months) Horace Mann Middle School
1985 Berea Department of Continuing Education Instructor Childrens Classes
1984 Cuyahoga Community College Instructor Elders Program
1983 Beck Center; Lakewood, Ohio Instructor Childrens and Adult Ceramics and Sculpture
1982 St. Edward's High School; Lakewood, Ohio Guest Lecturer
1982 Berea Bd. of Education; Berea, Ohio Artist in Residence Program
1982 Beck Center; Lakewood, Ohio Instructor Childrens and Adult Ceramics
1982 Cleveland Museum of Art; Cleveland, Ohio Instructor Childrens Classes
1980-81 Baycrafter Art Association: Bay Village, Ohio Instructor Childrens Ceramics
Baycrafter Art Association: Bay Village, Ohio Instructor Adult Batik Workshop
Lakewood Bd. of Education: Lakewood, Ohio Instructor Adult Education Batik
Beck Center; Lakewood, Ohio Instructor Adult Throwing and Handbuilding
Beck Center; Lakewood, Ohio Instructor Childrens Ceramic and Kiln-Building
1981 Oberlin College; Oberlin, Ohio Guest Instructor Batik on Paper Workshop
1978-79 Lakewood Bd. of Education; Lakewood, Ohio Instructor Adult Education Batik Class
Beck Center; Lakewood, Ohio Instructor Children and Adult Ceramic Classes
1972-77 Cleveland Bd. of Education Supplementary Educational Center; Cleveland Ohio Instructor Childrens Ceramic and Sculpture Classes
1973-74 Parma Bd. of Education; Parma, Ohio Instructor Adult Education Art Techniques Class

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (continued)

- 1973 Baycrafter Art Association; Bay Village, Ohio Instructor Childrens Ceramics
- 1969-70 Cleveland Bd. of Education; Cleveland, Ohio Catholic Diocese Instructor of Studio Art and Art History Grades 7 thru 12th. Erieview Catholic High School

EXHIBITIONS AND AWARDS

- 1990 Cuyahoga Community College; Parma, Ohio Annual Juried Exhibit - 1st place award 2' Dimension Design
- 1988 Women - "A Celebration" Juried Exhibit - Youngstown, Ohio
- 1988 Juried Exhibit at Erie Museum of Art - Erie, Pa.
- 1987 Creation & Performance - "Puppetererrorist Theatre" at Bay Village, Ohio Renaissance Fayre.
- 1987 Buttler Institute of American Art, Annual Juried Exhibit - Youngstown, Ohio
- 1987 Willoughby Fine Arts Invitational, Willoughby, Ohio
- 1987 North Coast Collage Society Juried Exhibit, Hiram, Ohio
- 1986 Jewish Community Centers 21st Annual Juried Photography Show, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1986 Electrostatics & Drawing Exhibit, Valley Art Gallery, Chagrin Falls, Ohio
- 1986 Dulin National Works on Paper Competition, Knoxville, Tennessee
- 1985 Great Northern Corporate Exhibit Invitational, North Olmsted, Ohio
- 1985 Group Invitational Exhibit - Gallery 2037, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1985 Butler Institute of American Art Juried Exhibit
- 1984 Butler Institute of American Art; *Cash Award - Juror's Mention, Youngstown, Ohio
- 1984 Trumbull Art Guild Juried Exhibit; Warren, Ohio
- 1983 Electrostatics International Juried Exhibit, Cleveland State University, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1983 Four-Man Show, Beck Center Galleria, Lakewood, Ohio
- 1983 Gallery West; Cuyahogs Community College; Parma, Ohio *Cash Award
- 1983 Proscenium Annual Juried Exhibit, Lakewood, Ohio
- 1982 Trumbull Art Guild Annual Juried Exhibit, Warren, Ohio *Cash Award
- 1982 Three-Man Show, Studio B. Beachcliff Market Square, Rocky River, Ohio
- 1982 Image Resource Center Electrostatics Invitational - Cleveland State University, Cleveland, Ohio
- 1982 Proscenium Annual Juried Exhibit, Lakewood, Ohio
- 1981 Nova Juried Drawing Exhibit, Cleveland, Ohio *Purchase Award
- 1981 Trumbull Art Guild Annual Juried Exhibit, Warren, Ohio *Cash Award
- 1981 Cleveland, May Show; Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, Ohio *Purchase Award by Cleveland Art Association
- 1981 Cleveland Art Association Annual Exhibit, Cleveland, Ohio - Cleveland Art Institute
- 1981 Cleveland Art Association, Cleveland, Ohio *Purchase Award for Private Collection
- 1981 Two-Man Show; Wilder Hall, Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio
- 1981 Holiday Invitational Exhibit, Lakewood, Ohio

EXHIBITIONS AND AWARDS (continued)

1982 Fava Juried Annual Exhibit, Oberlin, Ohio
 1982 One Man Exhibit; National City Bank, Cleveland, Ohio
 1980 Three-Man Exhibit Center Gallery, Parma, Ohio
 1980 Willoughby Fine Arts Annual Juried Exhibit, Willoughby, Ohio
 1980 Jewish Community Center Annual Juried Exhibit, Cleveland Hts., Ohio
 1980 Baycrafter Annual Juried Exhibit, Bay Village, Ohio
 1980 Proscenium Annual Juried Exhibit, Lakewood, Ohio
 1980 Nova Annual Juried Exhibit, Cleveland, Ohio Bonfoey Gallery -
 Paper Impressions
 1980 Coventry Art Gallery, Cleveland Hts., Ohio Invitational Exhibit
 1980 Fava Annual Juried Exhibit, Oberlin, Ohio
 1979 Beck Center Annual Invitational; Museum Gallery, Lakewood, Ohio
 1979 Proscenium Annual Juried Exhibit; Beck Center, Lakewood, Ohio
 1978 Emerald Necklace Annual Juried Exhibit, Bay Village, Ohio
 1974 Two-Man Exhibit; The Little Gallery, Bay Village, Ohio
 1973 North Olmsted Juried Annual Exhibit, North Olmsted, Ohio
 1973 St. Peter Invitational Exhibit, Lakewood, Ohio
 1973 Creative Concepts Annual Juried Exhibit, Lorain, Ohio
 1972 Cleveland May Show; Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, Ohio
 1972 Creative Concepts Annual Juried Exhibit, Lorain, Ohio
 1972 Erie Annual Juried Exhibit, Erie Pennsylvania
 1972 Baycrafter Annual Juried Exhibit, Bay Village, Ohio - *Best in
 Show, Cash Award
 1972 Creative Concepts Juried Exhibit, Lorain, Ohio - *Best in Crafts Award
 1971 St. Peter Annual Invitational, Lakewood, Ohio

SOCIAL WORK EXPERIENCE

1972-79	Cleveland, Ohio - Social Worker IV - Department of Human Services Cuyahoga County
1985-86	Cleveland, Ohio - Social Worker IV - Department of Human Services Cuyahoga County

As a social worker IV in the F.A.S. Department (Family & Adult Services) I was responsible for approximately ninety individuals ranging in age from birth to eighteen years. My duties in this capacity were to investigate community, hospital, school and family referrals regarding any type of suspected child endangering; including physical, emotional and sexual abuse, truancy, chemical abuse, criminal activities and related behavioral difficulties.

I was responsible for secondary investigations and follow up case work regarding the authorization and immediate removal of children from the family unit and the necessary subsequent arrangements regarding any such children. The duties also included the preparation for legal filing for Emergency Temporary and or Permanent custody through the Juvenile Court system of Cuyahoga County.

Further duties of the position were the keeping of all records for each child, ie birth records, physical, pshchiatric, dental, school and counseling.

As the appointed representative for the County Welfare Department I was held accountable for each child on my caseload by means of regular appearance in Juvenile Court; at which time custody changes, living arrangements, school social and medical decisions were reported and ultimately cleared with the Courts.

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The ultimate emphasis of the job was to incorporate protective services and family services in such a way as to enable the child's problems to be solved while keeping the family unit intact whenever at all possible. This was done by the utilization of family and individual counseling and tapping into as many outside resources as was felt to be of benefit and support to the individual and the family.

THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART

MAY SHOW QUESTIONNAIRE

Dear

We are trying to build a biographical record of Cleveland Artists for reference.
May we enlist your assistance with the following data?

FULL NAME: Laurel Delia MEDIA: Ceramics & Sculpture
DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: 2/13/46 - Cleveland

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc;

Ohio University - B.F.A.
Kent State University - M.A.
Instituto Allende - San Miguel Allende G.T.O. Mexico

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

Transgeneration '70 Exhibition / Ohio State University Ceramics
Erie Pennsylvania - 48th Annual Juried
Bay Crafters - 10th Annual Juried
Lorain County Juried
St. Peters Arts Festival

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:AWARDS:

1st prize - Bay Crafters
1st prize Lorain County

PRESENT POSITION:

unemployed

We would greatly appreciate it if you would inform us of subsequent awards, purchases, exhibitions and scholarships. Thank you for your cooperation.

L. Whitaker
Director of the May Show



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Exhibition Record:

1992: Akademia Gallery, Juried Exhibit, Cleveland, Ohio

1991: Tri-C Invitational Electrostatics/Computer Generated Art, Cleve, OH

1972 & '88: Erie Museum of Art, Juried Exhibit, Erie, PA

1984, '85, & '87: Butler Institute of American Art, Juried Exhibit, Youngstown, OH

1987: North Coast Collage Society, Annual Juried Exhibit, Hiram, OH

1980 & '86: Jewish Community, Juried Photography Exhibit, Cleveland, OH

1986: Dulin National Works on Paper Juried Competition, Knoxville, TN

1985: Great Northern Corp. Electrostatics Center Invitational, Cleveland, OH

1983: International Electrostatics Competition, CSU Gallery, Cleveland, OH

1980 & '82: FAVA Juried Exhibit, Oberlin, OH

1972 & '81: Cleveland May Show, Cleveland Museum of Art, Cleveland, OH

1981: Cleveland Art Association Annual Exhibit, Cleveland, OH

1980 & '81: Nova Juried Exhibit, Bonfoey Gallery, Cleveland, OH

Art Awards and Related Experience:

Cleveland May Show, Purchase Award, Cleveland Art Association. Cleveland Art Association, Purchase Award, for Private Collection. Guest Lecturer, St. Edward's H.S., Lakewood, OH. Guest Instructor & Lecturer, Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH. Artist-In-Residence, Berea City Schools, Berea, OH. Performance and Creating Puppeterrorists Puppet Theatre Production, Bay Village Renaissance Fayre, Bay Village, OH. Author and Illustrator of a Children's Book, currently seeking publication.

Personal Interest and Activities:

Play 1st Violin, Symphony West Orchestra. Patron of The Ohio Boy's Choir. Member of Greenpeace. Member of The Cleveland Zoological Society. Member of Nova. Publicity Chairman Of Riverside PTA.



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ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

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FULL NAME: LAUREL DELIA SCHURK

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: 02/13/46 Cleveland Ohio

PRIMARY MEDIA Ceramics & Batik

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.: Ohio University, Kent State University,
Instituto Allende - G.F.O. Mexico

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

Baycrafters juried - 1971 & 1980

Erie PA. juried - 1972

Prosemin juried - 1978 & 1980

Coventry Invitational - 1980

NOVA paper impressions

Fava annual juried - 1980

Jewish Community Annual juried 1980

May Show 1972

Willoughby Juried - 1980

Creative Concepts Lorain Ohio - 1972 & 1973

Holiday Invitational - 1980

Beck Center, Lakewood

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

AWARDS:

1972 Creative Concepts - 1st place in crafts.

1973 Creative Concepts - Best in crafts.

1971 Baycrafters - Best in crafts.

PRESENT POSITION: Instructor, Beck Center, Lakewood Ohio

We would appreciate any information regarding subsequent awards, purchases, exhibitions and scholarships.
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